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SUBJ: BOLIVIAN FIRM LOOKING FOR U.S. MINE CONTRACTING CO.

1. MR. JOHN GELERNTER OF HANSA LTD. ASKED MINATT TO BE PUT IN CONTACT WITH U.S. MINING CONTRACTOR WHICH HAS EXPERIENCE IN SHAFTSINKING. HANSA IS INTERESTED IN REPRESENTING U.S. FIRM IN BOLIVIA AS WELL AS CONTRACTING IT TO DO WORKS IN NEWLY ACQUIRED ZINC MINES NEAR POTOSI. SIZE OF CONTRACT IS LARGE, REPORTEDLY US\$ 10 MILLION AND CHANCES FOR ON-GOING BUSINESS IN BOLIVIA ARE EXCELLENT. BOLIVIA IS RICHLY MINERALIZED COUNTRY AND MINING ACTIVITY IS EXPECTED TO PICK UP THIS YEAR. HANSA IS WELL KNOWN AND RESPECTED FIRM (WTDR 3276 JUNE 1973) AND IN EXCELLENT POSITION TO OBTAIN BUSINESS FOR ANY U.S. COMPANY REPRESENTED BY THEM.

2. USDOC IS REQUESTED TO IMMEDIATELY BRING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO ATTENTION OF WELL KNOWN U.S. MINING CONTRACTORS, MR. GELERNTER IS WILLING TO COME TO U.S. TO DISCUSS CONTRACTS AND REPRESENTATION WITH SERIOUSLY INTERESTED COMPANIES. INTERESTED COMPANIES MAY DIRECTLY CONTACT HANSA LTDA. AT CAJON POSTAL 1402 LA PAZ, BOLIVIA, TELEX BX-5261, CABLE HANSA, TEL 54425 OR COMPANIES MAY CONTACT U.S. EMBASSY MINERALS ATTACHE J. CURRY OR COMMERCIAL ATTACHE E. ROJAS, CASILLA 425, LA PAZ, BOLIVIA.

3. USDOC OR BUREAU OF MINES IS REQUESTED TO CABLE NAMES OF AT LEAST THREE LARGE COMPANIES WITH UNCLASSIFIED UNCLASSIFIED

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